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FILE HEADING.

Proposals of the Retrenchment Committee for the abolition of the post of the Military Secretary to His Highness this Asstt.

From

Branch II, G.R.S.

No. H 3339-43 / G.768-12-2 Dated 10-12-1912. Received

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BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Transfers for disposal, the recommendations of the Retrenchment Committee for the abolition of the post of the Military Secy to H.H. the Asstt.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

The refees relating to Br II are put up to Br VI for kindly putting up the papers relating to each Br & which are referred to in the note by the Retrenchment Committee (761)

4/1/13 Mgl.

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References relating to Mily Branches viz., Mily file 215-09 (Secs 1-2) & file No 23-10 (Secs 1 to 8) are herewith put up.

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Subd.
Hrs (76) HM
15/1/13

The files on the subject available in Branches V & VI are put up. Mily. File C. 12 of 08, Sl 1, contains ~~the~~ notes and remarks of the then Dewan and Councillors ~~on the subject~~ regarding the arrangements for the Conduct of work of the Military Department.

The recommendation of the Retrenchment Committee is now is that all work connected with the Military and allied departments may be placed under the control of one Officer, by the combination of the two posts of the Chief Commandant and the Military Secretary to His Highness It is urged that there is no necessity for the two Administrative appointments in connection with the Military

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department of the State. The post of Military Secretary to His Highness and that of Military Assistant to the Military Secretary are therefore recommended for abolition bringing about a saving of Rs 24,600 per annum -

Secretary. 18.3.13.

General matter

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22/3/13.

Dewan

20/3/13

This may be considered at a meeting of Council. Please circulate.

19.4.13 RC

Circulated in Council

24/4

Seen

22/4/13

2nd Counc

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Seen

Seen 26/4/13 To be noted for meeting

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GPB—35,000—17-6-12.

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23-4-1913.

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Council Matter.

SUBJECT.

Recommendation of the Retrenchment Committee for the abolition of the posts of Military Secretary to H. H and of the Assistant to the Military Secretary.

CIRCULATED TO COUNCILLORS.

By Order,

22nd April 1913.

Secretary to Government.

First Councillor.

Second Councillor

Seen by the Extraordinary Member of Council.

24-4-1914

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Facing sheet for cases included in the schedule appended to Notification No. 36 of the 8th Aug. 1902.

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	Date	Initial of Officer himself or responsible Deputy.
Received in the Secretariat	4. 1. 13.	
Submitted to Secretary	18. 3. 13	
Submitted by Secretary to Dewan ~~or Councillor in charge~~	20. 3. 13	
Returned to Secretary	21. 4. 13	
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Considered in Council		
Submitted to the Dewan		
Submitted to His Highness		
Orders passed by His Highness		
Final Orders issued		
Circulated to Councillors		
Passed on by the Councillor		
Returned to Secretary by Councillor		

GPB—3,000—19-4-10

3. Abolition of the posts of Military Secretary to His Highness and the Assistant to the Military Secretary.

Council

This may be mentioned in the Reserve List & brought up at a meeting in August next. The circulation may be complied in the meanwhile.

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The subject was brought up before a meeting of Council held on 30th July 1913 and adjourned for want of time.

Brought up again at a meeting of Council on the 9th August 1913, but was not taken up for want of time.

Brought up again at the meeting on the 20th August 1913; but was not taken up for want of time.

Brought up again at the meeting on the 10th September 1913, but was not taken up for want of time.

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Brought up again at the meeting on the 18th September 1913, but not taken up for want of time.

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1. This has not been seen by the Extra. Member who is now in charge of the Military Dept.

2. Before the Duke of Windsor's arrival the Suite of Guests of His Highness in connection with the Durbar at Delhi on February 25th are proposed to be assigned to the Private Secy to H.H. — who has not been consulted

3. Chief Comm. has not been consulted as to the conclusions given paragraphs 1 & 2 of communication

4 Nor has the Military Secy been —

Too premature to be considered in Council

Jones
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Brought up again at the meeting on the 1st December 1913, but not taken up for want of time.

Dewan's direction in Consul.

This may be mentioned in the Reserve List and brought up at a meeting in August next. The circulation may be completed in the meanwhile.

C.S. Mi. 21.4.14

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Seen.

JKMcP 24.4.14

Duee 26/4

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GPB—50,000—7-11-13

GPB—1,000—19-7-13

Extract from the Proceedings of the 329th Meeting of the Council of His Highness the Maharaja, held at Bangalore on the 12th August 1914.

7. SUBJECT. - (Clause v of the Schedule).

Abolition of the post of Military Secretary to His Highness and the Assistant to the Military Secretary.

OPINION OF THE COUNCIL.

This may be removed from the list as orders have been separately passed about the appointment of Military Secretary to His Highness.

Sd. M.VISVESVARAYA,
Dewan of Mysore.

"Extract"

D. M. Narasinga Rao

Offg.Secretary to Government.

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Branch V. vide Extract of Consl Proc Dtd 14/8

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To Br II for note & return.

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Recd in Q 768-12 and the file is returned. A copy of the order issued re. Military Secretary's appointment may be sent up to the Br.

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Sd/- for permanent

18/8/14

19.8.14

to Br V)

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G P B—60,000—7-11-13

Annexure II

I. Abolition of the post of Military Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja and of the Assistant to the Military Secretary.

Res. 1.4. second meeting
Res. 4.1.1. (3) 7th meeting

Brief history of the posts.

Prior to 1897 the Military Forces in Mysore and the department of Government connected with military and allied matters were under the direction of an officer designated "Military Secretary to Government and Commandant of the Mysore State Troops" on a salary of Rs.1,827 and allowance of Rs.200 paid from the allotment under Government Houses. Col. Macintire held this appointment and was in addition in charge of the Amrut Mahal Department and the entertainment of European guests of His Highness and of the Kunigal Stud Farm.

On the death of this officer in 1897 Government made the following arrangements:--

(1) An officer designated "the Officer Commanding the Mysore State Troops" was appointed and in him was vested the "responsibility of maintaining the Mysore State Troops in a condition of progressive efficiency for active Military and quasi-Military purposes including the preservation of internal peace and order." This officer was to have "all powers and duties connected with the discipline, equipment and internal economy of the Mysore State Troops."

(2) To assist the Government in the Military department and for such other duties as the Government may deem proper a "Military Assistant to Government" was appointed. The Commanding Officer and the

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Military Assistant were to be in no way in official subordination, the one to the other.

(3) The Amrut Mahal Department was ordered to be regarded as a subordinate branch department under the control and direction of the Military Assistant.

(4) The Kunigal Stud Farm was to continue to be managed by the Military Department of Government.

(5) The administration of Government Houses was ordered to be vested in the Military Department of Government while the actual entertainment of European guests was entrusted to the Private Secretary to H.H. the Maharani Regent.

These arrangements were in force for about 12 years, the only changes made during the interval being the alteration of the designation of the Officer Commanding to the Chief Commandant, Mysore State Troops and the transfer of the duties connected with the entertainment of European Guests to the Military Assistant.

In 1908 Government decided to abolish the post of Military Assistant--Vide G.O.No.G.1731-70/G.M.114-08-1 dated 10th September 1908--while Lieut. Col. Jones was on furlough, and after his return he was appointed Military Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja in G.O. No. G. 1298-302/G.M.36-09-3 dated 30th August 1909, to advise His Highness in matters connected with the administration of the Military Department and to direct and control the Amrut Mahal Department, the Kunigal Stud Farm and the Government Houses including the management of the entertainment of European guests. The command and administration of the Imperial Service Transport Corps was subsequently

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subsequently transferred to this officer. In G.O. No. G.3309-56/G.M.179-10-6 dated 30th November 1910, Lieut. Col. Jones, Military Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja was appointed Secretary to Government in the departments under his control.

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At the instance of Col. Jones an Assistant to the Military Secretary was appointed in the person of Mr.Tate but the appointment is vacant since the latter's death.

Recently the departments that were under the control of Lieut. Col. R.G. Jones as Military Secretary to His Highness have been placed under His Highness the Yuvaraja of Mysore.

The Committee's recommendation.

As far as the Committee can see there does not appear to be any necessity for two administrative appointments in connection with the Military Department of the State, one as Military Secretary to His Highness and the other as Chief Commandant. All work connected with the Military and allied departments may be placed under the control of one officer by the combination of the two posts. The duties connected with the entertainment of European Guests of His Highness in connection with the Dusserah and the Birthday festivities may, if the above arrangement be effected, be advantageously once again attached to the office of the Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja, and the Amrut Mahal Department transferred to the control of the Forest Department as suggested by the Committee separately in Res. No. II.I.9.(5) of the 9th meeting.- vide item no 10 (4) in Annexure I

If the proposal be accepted there will be a saving of about Rs.~~25,000~~ 24600 per annum in the recurring cost as follows:--

Pay of Military Secretary:	1700 x 12....	20,400
Pay of Asstt. to --do.-- :	350 x 12....	4,200
		24,600

The Committee therefore respectfully advise the amalgamation of the two administrative appointments of the Military Department i.e. Military Secretary and the Chief Commandant

P Chakravarthi
Secretary.

15.11.12